



Congressional District #23

Threatened Species:

American Hart's-tongue Fern
Chittenango Ovate Amber Snail
Bald Eagle
Northern Monkshood

Recovery Update: Recovering the endangered northern monkshood will require protecting its habitat from destruction during residential and road construction.

The Chittenango ovate amber snail is threatened by chronic degradation to the water quality of Chittenango Creek, and by competition from an introduced snail species. Recovery efforts have concentrated on protecting the snail's colony, monitoring the population's status, determining specific water quality pollutants, and establishing a captive breeding population.

Recovery of the American-hart's tongue fern depends upon protecting the species from destruction by trampling, and habitat loss or alteration.

The bald eagle is an endangered species success story. Their populations have recovered sufficiently for the Service to propose their removal from the endangered species list.